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**From:** Don Susan Sheridan <sheridands@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 5, 2021 8:23 AM  
**To:** House Finance Committee  
**Subject:** In Support of RI Promise (Article 1 Sec 15 and 2021 H 5524)

Dear Chairman Abney and members of the House Committee on Education:

I am writing to you in support of Rhode Island Promise at CCRI and graciously ask you to support making it permanent. My daughter is a freshman in high school and as we look at college options, the cost is our greatest concern. If she was able to attend CCRI for two years for free and then transfer to complete her degree, it would give her the opportunity to earn a college degree— an opportunity she may not get without RI promise. Not only that, but with my daughter having an IEP, it makes school that much harder for her. I know that CCRI has the ability to grant a wonderful education to my daughter and I know she is deserving of that opportunity.

I know many Rhode Island families would benefit from this program, including ours.

Sincerely,  
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